

Silver Maple - Elm - (Cottonwood) Forest (FMC, FEH, FSW, and FBO)

The Silver Maple - Elm - (Cottonwood) Forest map class represents the Silver Maple - Elm - (Cottonwood) Forest plant community (CEGL002586). Large stands are common, especially along the Mississippi River. These river bottomland forests are typically inundated in spring, but may become relatively drained later in the season. We used this map class to describe bottomland floodplain forests of the Yellow and Mississippi Rivers.

The map class is split into four map class phases (maple, hackberry, swamp white oak, and bur oak phases).

